3. Executive Engineers are requested to direct the officers and subordinates serving under them to take as much copper as they can dispose of when cashing cheques for the purpose of paying labor, and to specify the amount of copper they can take when forwarding the cheques to the Treasury.

OPIUM—HEAD OF CREDIT.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts, Treasury Department, Circular No. 1472, *dated 7th May* 1880.

In modification of this Office Circular No. 1469—1 of the 9th April last, the Deputy Accountant General has the honor to request that the sale proceeds of opium may be credited in the Treasury accounts in a distinct entry under Public Debt after "Forest Advances," thus—

"Opium Advances."

Sale proceeds of Malwa opium. Sale of local opium surrendered.

2. Charges on account of local opium surrendered up to 1st May and purchased should be debited in the list of payments supported by detailed bills.

3. The profits arising from the sale of the drug will be adjusted by this Office on its books under the head of "IV—Excise" to which also will be charged the loss on dryage and wastage, on receipt of bills which should be submitted periodically by each Deputy Commissioner.

H. HUDSON,
Dy. Acctt. General in Mysore.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

U. C. S. EXAMINATION NOTICE.

The 10th May 1880.

The following Notice is published for general information.

L. RICE,
Director of Public Instruction, Mysore and Coorg.

The Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations notifies that the next examination in the subjects prescribed for the Special Tests under the Revised Rules published under date the 29th July 1869 will be held on the 23rd and following days of August next at the places given below:—

Berhampore.	Cuddapah.	Coimbatore.	Calicut.
Chicacole.	Bellary.	Ootacamund.	Tellicherry.
Vizagapatam.	Nellore.	Negapatam.	Mangalore.
Rajahmundry.	Chittoor.	Tanjore.	Secunderabad.
Cocanada.	Madras,	Trichinopoly.	Trevandrum.
Guntúr.	Cuddalore.	Madura.	Cochin.
Masulipatam.	Salem.	Palamcottah.	Bangalore.
Kurnool.			

2. Candidates must send in their applications on printed forms, which may be obtained from all Tahsildars and Treasury Deputy Collectors, so as to reach the *Collectors of the Districts in which they desire to be examined* on or before the 15th of June next, after which date no applications will be received. All applications should be prepared in the *English* language.

3. Every application must be accompanied by the prescribed fee, as laid down in the following scale sanctioned by Government under date the 22nd April 1869 :—

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	Rs.		Rs.
I-A.—Judicial Test, Civil—Higher Grade.	10	V.—Revenue Test, Sea Customs Dept.	4
II-A.— Do Criminal— do	7	VI.—Account Test	5
III-A.—Revenue Test, General—do	7	VII-A.—Translation Test, Higher Grade	6
I-B.—Judicial Test, Civil—Lower Grade.	6	VII-B.— Do Lower Grade	4
II-B.— Do Criminal— do	6	VIII-A.—Précis-Writing, Higher do	4
III-B.—Revenue Test, General—do	5	VIII-B.— Do Lower do ..	4
IV.— Do Salt Department.	5	IX.—Pleaders in District Munsiffs' Courts.	6

4. The above fee must be paid in *every* case without exception. *Fees paid by Candidates will not be returned to them or reserved for another examination.*

5. As notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, under date the 12th ultimo, Candidates should pay their fees into the Bank of Madras, or Local Government Treasuries as the case may be, and send the Bank or Treasury receipts with their applications to this Office through the Collector of the District.

6. Each application must also be accompanied by the required Vaccination Certificate signed by a Medical Officer or Medical Subordinate of the rank given in the margin, shewing that the Candidate has been vaccinated or has had the small-pox. In the case, however, of Candidates who produced such certificates at examinations held subsequent to the 31st December 1875, no further voucher of this description will be necessary.

Zillah Surgeon.
Sub-Assistant and Native Surgeon.
First and Second Apothecaries.
Superintendent of Vaccination.
Hospital Assistant.

7. Persons who have not been employed *continuously* in the Public Service since the 1st January 1859 (in grades other than that of Village Curnum, or Monegar, Peon, &c., which require a knowledge of reading and writing) will not be admitted to the Special Test Examinations unless they have passed the General Test or been exempted therefrom by special order of Government, or passed the University Entrance Examination ; and by G. O., 10th March 1871, no person will be admitted to the Special Tests in English who has not passed either the English or the Anglo-Vernacular branch of the General Test.

8. Candidates coming up for one or more Tests at the same time under General Rule I will submit a single application for all such Tests. As notified under date the 3rd September 1873, no Candidate will be permitted to take up any of the Judicial Tests together with Test III in either grade.

9. Candidates will not be allowed to appear for examination in Tests I-A, II-A, III-A, I-B, V, and VI in a vernacular language, unless specially permitted by an order of Government to do so. In the latter case, Candidates should quote in their applications the date and number of such order.

10. Candidates taking up Test I-A may, if they have done sufficiently well, and if the Commissioner permits, be passed for Pleaders in District Munsiffs' Courts.

11. As notified under date the 9th September 1874, Candidates will, except in cases where a higher minimum has already been fixed, be required to get at least one-fourth of the marks allotted to each paper in a Test and half marks on the whole, to secure a pass.

12. Candidates in the Police Department who may apply for examination in the judicial portion of the "*Police Test*" *alone* should submit their application direct to the Superintendent of Police, *and not to the Collector of the District in which they are employed.* Candidates for this Test must have previously passed in departmental subjects and will be required to pay a fee of Rupees 3.

13. Candidates should write their names, their fathers' names and their house names, *distinctly* and *in full* and give their addresses *in full* also. Applications received without the *village* names of the Candidates will be returned.

14. Candidates will not be admitted to the Examination at any other place than that named in their applications, and no Candidate will be allowed to name more than one place. To prevent mistakes Candidates should submit their applications *direct to the Collectors of the Districts in which the stations at which they desire to be examined are situated.*